

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 114
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A RESOLUTION to honor and commend those individuals responsible for the construction of the Dunlap Rehabilitation Center and Humboldt Conference Center at the Humboldt General Hospital.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to specially recognize those estimable public servants who have dedicated themselves to improving the quality of life for their fellow citizens; and

WHEREAS, the gentlemen who, through their distinguished service in the Humboldt community, have worked to ensure the construction of the new Dunlap Rehabilitation Center and Humboldt Conference Center at the Humboldt General Hospital are many such persons; and

WHEREAS, the construction of these buildings at the Humboldt General Hospital was made possible by the generous bequest of one million dollars by Humboldt native, Thomas D. Dunlap, who donated the money subject to the Humboldt Healthcare Foundation, the local chapter of the West Tennessee Healthcare Foundation, raising an additional matching gift; and

WHEREAS, the new, state-of-the-art facilities will provide much-needed services to the people of Humboldt: the Dunlap Rehabilitation Center will be used for outpatient physical

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rehabilitation, while the Humboldt Conference Center will host presentations by visiting physicians, and conferences for the edification of the entire medical community; and

WHEREAS, the members of this General Assembly are honored to recognize the meritorious services of Clint Williams, former Chairman of the West Tennessee Healthcare Foundation; Charles Jackson, former Chief Executive Officer of the West Tennessee Healthcare Foundation; Bill Kail, Humboldt General Hospital Administrator; Jim Moss, President and Chief Executive Officer of West Tennessee Healthcare; Frank McMeen, President of the West Tennessee Healthcare Foundation; Dr. Lee Shepard, Chairman of the West Tennessee Healthcare Foundation; and Monte Jones, President of the Humboldt Healthcare Foundation; these outstanding professionals have provided tremendous support and much-needed assistance in bringing the new facilities to Humboldt General Hospital; and

WHEREAS, in their work to ensure the completion of the new facilities at Humboldt General Hospital, these gentlemen have distinguished themselves as public-spirited citizens and community leaders of the highest order, and as exceptional assets to Humboldt; and

WHEREAS, these exemplary leaders are wholly committed to the noble precepts of public service that have earned Tennessee recognition as the "Volunteer State," and they should be specially recognized; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, That we hereby commend these civic and business leaders of Humboldt, for their honorable and astute service to the good people of the Humboldt community in bringing the Dunlap Rehabilitation Center and the Humboldt Conference Center to the Humboldt General Hospital, and salute their unswerving commitment to the greater good of their fellow citizens.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.